Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar *(Urakam).*—I also agree perfectly so far as it goes. So it follows that the demand is for a votable item. My motion is to reduce Rs. 612 by a hundred rupees. The reason given by me, may be a good one or a bad one. So far as the propriety of the motion is concerned, it is quite in order because the motion is for a votable item and my motion is only to reduce the amount by Rs. 100 I may be allowed to move. If I adduce that reason as is given here in the cut motion I may not be allowed to state that. I may be asked to state whether I have other reasons to press my motion.

Mr. Deputy President.—I am sorry I cannot allow that because this cut motion relates only to a non-votable item. Otherwise every cut motion will be in order simply because it asks for a cut. I rule that the motion is out of order. If the Hon'ble Member has to speak against the demand, I have no objection.

Demand put and carried.

29. Rs. 292—under "14 (2) Secondary Girls—Scholarships and stipends (Cranganur).

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction).*—I move for an additional allotment of Rs. 292 under 14 (2) Secondary Girls—Scholarships and stipends—Cranganur. The object has been explained in the notes of the Standing Finance Committee. I request that the House will be pleased to sanction the additional allotment.

Demand put and carried.

The House rose for the day at 4-55.

B. V. KRISHNANKUTTY MENON,

Secretary to the Council.

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